

LGBTQIA+ Rainbow Commission Agenda

Date: Thursday, January 20, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM - 8:35 PM

Location: Conducted by Remote Participation

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When: Jan 20, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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Agenda

- 1. Remote participation statement and guidelines (2 min)
- 2. Welcome and introductions (include your pronouns if you want to) (2 min)
- 3. Assign minute-taker (1 min)
- 4. Consent Agenda (2 min)
- 5. Commission Membership/Recruitment/Infrastructure (5 min)
 - a. Recruitment update
 - b. Co-Chair Vote
- 6. Liaison Updates (10 min) Restricting to time-sensitive updates
 - a. Council on Aging
 - b. Diversity Equity and Inclusion (DEI)

- c. Library
- d. Police Department
- e. Select Board
- 7. Working Group Updates and Membership (8 min) Restricting to time-sensitive updates
 - a. Community Engagement Events
 - b. Communications
 - c. Public Education
 - d. Town Systems & Policies
- 8. Planning for January-June 2022 (60 minutes)
 - a. Key Events/programming, including Pride
 - b. DEI/town-focused support activities
 - c. APS Engagement
 - d. Communications
 - e. Liaison requested activities or materials needed
 - f. Budget
 - i. Additional banners for East Arlington (and possibly Heights?)
 - ii. Pride giveaways and any additional swag for other events
 - iii. Other budget items to be considered?
- 9. Public Engagement and Open Commentary (5 min)
- 10. Next Meeting: Thursday, February 17, 2022 6:30 8:30 PM, Remote Participation

Anyone needing accessibility information or other assistance in order to attend this meeting should contact Jillian Harvey, <u>jharvey@town.arlington.ma.us</u>. This meeting is open to all interested individuals.

Consent Agenda

- 1. December meeting minutes
- 2. Correspondence received
 - 12/22 Naoka Carey from Human Rights Commission reached out to coordinate survey inputs to Envision Arlington survey updated for 2022.
 - 1/7 Val Overton shared information with RC and Marci on next two Celebrating LGBTQ Seniores events.
 - 1/7 Jullieth Cragwell from Elemy, requested RC include this resource on our website, covering Gender Identity & Autism. Asked Molly and Kari to review and recommend whether or not to include.
 - 1/11 Matthew Murphy, research assistant from Brown University asking us to spread the word on study for understanding risk and resilience factors of mental and sexual well-being among young adult gay, bisexual, and queer men.